Miss Helen Taft Goes to Annapolis

FOR TIMES WOMEN WHO WANT TO KNOW

What Is Seen in The Shops

BY THE SHOPPER.

The little waists that are made like! coat and are intended to be worn outside of the skirt are being offered a Market Space store for \$2. In this lot there are dainty blouses made of striped marquisette, all-over em-broidery voile, linen lawn, and all lace, and all are elaborately trimmed. The apron fronts and longer hip peplums are also edged with lace, and alto-gether the garments are decidedly chic and desirable.

The same store is offering for \$1.19 a straw suit case of generous capacity, which is lined with cloth and bound substantially, the leather corners adding strength to this light piece of baggage. For week-end trips this suit case is a convenience and is especially suitable for women, as it is so light that it can be as easily carried as the ordinary handbag.

It is not often that the householder finds such a bargain as that offered by a Seventh street furniture store, near D street. This consists of a lawn bench, which is strong and well made, which sells for 49 cents. This bench is large enough to seat three people comfortably.

Colonial mantels for new homes are specialty with a Thirteenth streest and construction.

The Parsimonious Cocktail

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CHAPTER VI (Continued).

cidedly.

He sighed. He felt a desire to use profanity. And he also realized that the attendant was altogether gone!

He looked around rather amazedly.

He called aloud—and before the call had died away, the attendant entered 'There is a delegation—" he began.
'A what?" Banks sat up and snapped

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The gentleman turned to Banks with:
"Am I correctly informed that you
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"If any one has informed you to that effect they were eminently correct" responded Mr. Banks.

"And you are here maintaining an institution for the cure of the moneyspending habit?"

"I am." said Banks doggedly, grimly, defiantly.

The man straightened up:

"This, sir, is a delegation of the hotel owners, the theater managers, the restaurant proprietors along Broadway," he announced.

"And what the devil do you suppose I care about that?" asked Mr. Banks.

"You are ruining our business, sir!" said the speaker earnestly. "You have already in the last two weeks robbed us of thousands—if not of hundreds of thousands! You have taken our best patrons and rendered them parsimonicus in the wildest extreme. Personally, as proprietor of the Hotel St. Sergus, I may say that eartain parties who have never spent less than \$50 in an evening have passed through your damnable institution and are at present living upon club sandwiches and ham sandwiches and milk instead of—"

A wild, strident yolce rose in the rearef the room.

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ain't everything. Looks me! Just look
at Percival Walderford for one case.
He always had a full first box Thursdays. He did, didn't he? You nil know
it? He was there every Thursday night

mantel and tile shop, which also supplies garden and plazza ornaments. A beautiful mantel of black and white beautiful mantel of black and white marble has a hearth and facings of the same material, and is built on dignified and massive lines. The top and sides of the mantel are of white wood with columns on either side, and a decorative panel along the front at the top. Another mantel, made entirely of black marble, has a huge plain black siab for a top, which is supported by two heavy columns of the marble. These mantels vary in price according to the materials and construction.

Parasols in two tones are to be seen in a store in F street, near Twelfth. A very attractive sunshade seen in this store has black and white stripes about an inch wide on the outside, and a similar stripe, in green and white, on the inside, where the ribs come. On the surface of the parasol there was a solid piece of black satin, and at the corresponding position on the inside was a solid green messaline piece. The price of the parasol was \$8.

The blazer as a garment for general A certain brand of guaranteed hose, warranted not to tear or rûn, is being sold for \$1 a box in a G street department store. These are as thin as silk and are woven with a garter top, double heels and toes. If these hose show runs or holes inside of three show runs or holes inside of three show runs are replaced by a new streets.

And at last out of all the turmoil came the logical conclusion, in a biting,

"LYNCH HIM!"
Seven vocal chords in Banks' throat began to vibrate together. The result was queer, but inaudible in the din. He started from his chair, then with this indefinable howl of mingled rage and terfor, and even as he landed upon his feet the cheëry chorus went up of:
"Lynch him! Do for him! Hang the rascal! Down with him! Grab him, Weltheim, and pass him over this way. Lynch him! Kill him—"
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Lynch him! Kill him—"
Now, it is a matter of certain record that nobody has ever accused Banks of want of action. When there is need of action on Banks' part, Banks, so to speak, is on the job.

In this case the requirement seemed to be absence—not absence fifteen minutes or half an hour from then, but immediate absence. Banks, therefore, filled the requirement.

He climbed into it with feverish haste.

"LYNCH HIM!"

THE TIMES' DAILY SERIAL STORY.

"What ice does that cut when it comes to the profit a man makes out of fizzwater?" screamed a new voice. "Didn't young Dilbury use to buy from two to twenty quarts every night hefor? he landed here? What? And now he drinks beer and he comes alone and....." TERY well, sir!" he said de-

He found a glass and rinsed it carefully. He
peured little portions from certain
bottles into a graduate; and at
last he poured the whole mass into the
glass and filled it with cold water from
the tap; and he brought it to Banks

with a bow.

The millionaire looked at it. He also looked at the stony eyes of the attendant, and he sneered as he grasped the glass and raised it to his lips.

"Here's looking at the cuss that invented the art of spending money!" he remarked as he drained the contents

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The draft was down.

Banks wiped his lips and snorted on general principles. The attendant waited frigidly.

"Well, get me Seabright and Tate," the millionaire began angrily.

As if prearranged, a draft blew open the door of the office. In the corridor without stood Mr. Seabright and Mr. Tate and Mr. Barkus.

In their hands they held suit cases; on their faces were smiles. And the smiles turned to looks of amazement as they caught sight of Banks.

"Come in here!" said the latter.

"Not on you life!" responded Seabright cheerfully. "Our term's over and we're going away from here."

"Well, before you go—"

"There's no before we go!" answered Mr. Barkus. "We're going right now, Worden!"

Worden!"., Seabright burst into a jovial laugh as he stuck his head through the door of Worden, do you remember the even-

ings we used to spend up at the hotel? e queried.
"I do, and—"
"Well, if we decide to do it after this ourse of sprouts, we'll meet you there to being lynched anyway.

Banks, therefore, opened the window and stepped down the seven feet with one step. He had a marked aversion to being lynched anyway. course of sprouts, we'll meet you there about midnight!"

He himself could not altogether understand the five-hundred-dollar part, but he had said it and he would stick to it. Indeed, he proved the fact by producing the five-hundred dollar note and thrusting it into the attendant's hand with a positive smile.

The attendant also smiled. "A delegation which wishes to see the head of this establishment!" said the attendant imperturbably.

"Well, you—you—you send them right in here—whatever your name is!" the millionaire responded. "I don't know what the devil a delegation's doing here,

but if they're here—"
"Well, they're from the hotels and the restaurants and the theaters along Broadway, and—"
He broke off. The attendant vanished mysteriously, and through the door of the office a stream of men began to come.

They were well-dressed, well-featured men. They looked like men of affairs.

And having started to come in, they continued coming in. There seemed to be no end of them. Ten were in the office now—and then sixty—until the small place was jammed to the very doors with angry-faced men of otherwise good personal appearance.

They were muttering, too, audible, the dock of the statement of the statement also smiled.

Further, he accepted the bill and took after them, but she was too far away then to catch them. I'll take a nap," said Tiny, "and by that time mother will be home, and I hope Frisky and Rolly will, too, but I know Tabby Grey saw them."

"She didn't get us," said Frisky, as he darted into the barn.

"No," replied Rolly, peeping out from behind the door; "but she saw us and second, sir."

Whereupon he effaced himself from the scene, and Banks rubbed his eyes and looked around dazedly.

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They kept on muttering until the man
in the lead held up a hand with:
"Gentlemen!" The noise ceased.

The start-from-the-seat device went off like a Gatling gun, and his were drowned. A Continuation of This Story Will Be Found In Tomorrow's Issue of The Times. Praise for Dancing

"Flast the eating!" it said "Eating and "Eating and "Eating and eater sain" to everything. Looks me! Just look at Percival Walderford for one case. He saways had a full first box Thursdays had a full first box Thursday night with a crowd, and—"

A roar arose—wild and incoherent. As it quieted down the voice came again "And now what does he do? What does he left this devilsh place?" Gasp. "He stands in line and waits for a quarter seat in the top balcony. I've seen him to it myself in the little operated was full of the children sang it so well that the cony. I've seen him to it myself in the little operated encores. Solos and fancy dances followed the operates.

The little folks whom Miss Madolin and their teacher, received unstinted praise for the propagation of the propagation of the propagation of the season. Those who maked the closing of the season. Those who will take nart are Theodore Apple, bass solo; Miss prepared by Miss Smithson, scored a hit. The little operated was full of the occasion. Those who will take nart are Theodore Apple, bass solo; Miss and the color of childhood and the children sang it so well that the companies. The little operated encores. Solos and fancy dances followed the operate.

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The little folks whom Miss Madolin

Small Company of Young Garden Party Given People at White House

Dinner.

Miss Helen Taft and Miss Dorothy Williams, daughter of Col. and Mrs. John R. Williams, U. S. A., went down to Annapolis this morning to spend the

week-end Last night Miss Taft entertained a small company of young people at dinner at the White House.

Invitations went out from the White House yesterday for the garden party which Mrs. Taft is giving Friday after-

bassy staff.

J. J. Moniz de Aragao, recently appointed second secretary of the Brazilian embassy, will reach New York shortly and will come directly to Washington. The new secretary is a cousin to Mr. de Lima, the counselor of the A renewed chorus of screams inter-rupted him. The voice was killed. Banks, sitting white and dazed, heard the chairman: "Gentlemen! Gentlemen! Gentlemen!"

A perfect volley of roaring sounds drowned him. The spokesman stood upon a chair and waved his hands and his lips moved aimleasly. He tried hard, apparently to get control of his fellow-visitors, but they were past all control. The Russian Ambassador and Mme. Bakhmeteff will return to Washington Tuesday from a few days' trip to Philadelphia and New York. control.

They roared — shrieked — screamed—waved their hats. Now and then one leaped from the floor.

Mrs. Daniel Thew Wright, wife of Justice Wright, has gone to New York for a visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Durant Church.

By the Littletons

With Miss Williams for Week-End

A fashionable assemblage thronged the garden at Calumet place yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock for the garden party given by Congressman and Mrs. Martin W. Littleton of New

Mr. and Mrs. Littleton received at the entrance to the attractive garden, the latter wearing a handsome gown of Irish lace with a cluster of old-fashioned flowers at the corsage, with a small garden hat bound in blue ribbon and trimmed with clusters of tiny pink rosebuds and forget-me-nots, and blue

An orchestra from the Marine Band

which Mrs. Taft is giving Friday afternoon, May 31.

The alumni association of the Washington College of Law is giving a reception toulght at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Daniel Paul, 1661 Paris
road, in honor of the members of the
class of 1912 of the college.

Viscount d'Alte, minister of Portugal,
sailed from New York this morning on
the Clympic of the White Star line.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gibson will return to Washington tomorrow or Monday from New York, where Mrs. Gibson
went a day or two ago to meet her husband on his return from a brief Euresidence on N street and bave gone to
Staten Island for the summer.

The Secretary of State and Mrs.
Knox will go to New York Monday, the
former to attend a banquet given by
the Pan-American Society, at which
will be the guest of honor.

The Minister of Sweden and Mme. Ekengren have changed their plans to
spend the summer abroad and have
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taken a cottage at Bar Harbor for the
season.

Baron Preuschen von un zu Lieben
stein, naval attache of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, will go abroad shortly to join the baroness, who precede
him by a couple of months, and who
expected to return about this time, exger for the recent death of her father.
Baron Preuschen has been assigned to
bassy staff.

J. J. Moniz de Aragao, recently ap-

Congressman and Mrs. T. T. Ans-berry entertained informally at dinner last night in honor of Mrs. Judson Har-mon, wife of the governor of Ohio, who has been spending the week with them. Mrs. Harmon, who has been the object of many social attentions during her stay in the Capital, returned to Ohio this afternoon.

Mme. E. L. Chermont, wife of the former secretary of the Brazilian embassy, has returned to her home near Baltimore after a stay of several weeks City. at the Grafton.

Mrs. A. C. Janin was hostess at luncheon today at her residence on Lafayette Square.

Picnic Dinner to Be Held By the Skating Class.

Viscountees d'Azy, wife of the Nava Attache of the French Embassy, has gotten up an impromptu pienie dinner which met during Lent. The company which will meet in Rock Creek Park, near Pierce Mill, about 7:39 o'clock, will include the Swedish Minister and Mme. Ekengren, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lagare, Miss Mary McCauley, Miss Lay, Count Csekonics, of the Austro-Hungarian Embassy; William Bowie Clark, Charles F. Richardson, and Lieut. L. R. Leahy, U. S. N. A picnic dinner will be served on the grass.

Mme. Sophie Radford de Meissner will give a talk on "Psychic Experiences" at mium on a 14-cent piece of 1800. inent Russian nobleman.

Brigadier General Wotherspoon, U. S. A., is spending the day at Annapolis with her son, who is a student at the Naval Academy.

There will be an exhibit of the work avenue, Tuesda Thursday, May a. m. to 9 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Herzmark will be at home Sunday, May 25, from 7 to 10 o'clock at their residence, 1911 Pennsylvania avenue, in honor of the confirma-tion of their daughter, Miss Rebecca

Mrs. Alvin Freundlich and son, who spent a few days in Washintgon with friends, have returned to their home in

Mrs. J. Kahn, who has been spend-ing a few days in Washintgon as the guest of Mrs. S. Callisher, returned to her home in New York today.

Mrs. A. M. Baer and son, David, of the Netherlands, are spending some time in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Joel Hillman and daughter. Miss Emilie Hillman, left Washington yes-terday to spend the summer in Atlantic

Mr. and Mrs. A. Freeman, of Philadelphia, spent a few days in Washington during the week, and were registered at the New Willard.

I PITTSBURGH BANKER.

er, probably one of the twenty wealthiest men in the United States, ended today. Bitterly contested as it has been the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the stove to keep warm on the back of the sto The custody of their two children-

awarded to their father.
On the other hand, the mother will receive an assured income of \$30,000 a

take testimony in the case, filed his onion and a copy of the testimony to-day. Although the greatest secrecy was thrown around the proceedings, it can be stated authoritively that Mr. take testimony in again. I am sure mother will think we are able to take care of ourselves when we tell her about this adventure."

"Yes, indeed," answered Rolly.

"There old each are not so hard the service of amended his bill and sought divorce on "Yes, indeed," answered Rolly.
"These old cats are not so hard to fool
as mother tries to make us believe.
Let us run out and get at that bag of amended his bill and sought divorce on the desertion charge that Mrs. Melion decided not to keep up her fight in the courts. It became known today that George M. Newmeyer, who was ap-nointed commissioner to go abroad and take further testimony, had been notied to postpone his trip indefinitely.

> Within the last week five men, all from Ireland, have been in Pittsburgh giving testimony in the case. Mr. and Mrs. Mellon separated in

When they were married, twelve years ago, she was esteemed one of the most beautiful women in Great Britain. It was said she had refused offers of marwas said she had refused offers of marriage from half a dozen peers. They were married at the county seat of the McMullen family, in Herfordshire, England; he was then forty-eight years old and his wife only twenty.

Andrew W. Mellon is president of Pennsylvania's greatest financial institution, the Mellon National Bank, here. His wealth is estimated conservatively at \$35,000,000.

Mellon Asks Divorce.

Soon after their separation Mr. Mellon sued for absolute divorce. He named cial services will be held-tomorrow. One as co-respondent Alfred George Curyear ago the chapel in which the con- phey, a young officer in the British gregation worships was dedicated, and the purpose of the services tomorrow is to celebrate the anniversary.

Sunday school will be held at 9:20 o'clock. At 11 o'clock there will be the confirmation of catechumens and reception of other members, and the holy communionwill be administered.

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon there will be a service of thanksgiving and praise. The Rev. John T. Huddle, of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, will preach. Other Lutheran ministers will particiarmy and a member of a wealthy and

an dtheir songs, with realistic imitations of bird notes, at the Library of Contress next Tuckday afternoon at 2 o'clock, for the benefit of the blind. Next Friday night at 8 o'clock a piano and song recital will be given by Miss Marion Boyd, soprano and planist and Miss Lucille Boyd, soprano.

Shows: Bath, Stag Hetel, 608 9th, Creat When mending kid gloves use cotton instead of silk. The cotton is not so likely to cut the kid, and the mended corner is less conspicuous than when

its own amusements.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES SENT BY READERS TO

The Times Question Box

Times Inquiry Department: Do any of the colleges in Washington have a summer course for teachers? I should like to take some kindergarten work, art of teaching, and something in history, literature and mathematics.

As far as this deparment has been able to find out, there is no college summer course to be had in the District, although you might be able to take private instruction. The nearest summer course to be had at any college is the party for tonight, as a reunion of the course offered by the University of Vir-

> Inquirers concerning coins please note: Interested Reader-None of the coins about which you inquire are of any value but one, the half-dollar of 1838. If there is an O under the bust, this coin is worth from \$5 to \$15, according to its state of preservation. The other coins are worth only their face value. J. G. G. and C. O. J .- A 25-cent piece of 1818 and a half dollar dated 1854 have

Daily Reader, A. M.-There is no prethe Washington Club, 1710 I street, Tuesday afternoon, May 28, at 4:45 o'clock. Mme de Melssner, who is a brilliant authoress and student, is the daughter of Read Admiral Radford, U. S. N., of Georgetown, and the widow of a prompter Russian pobleman.

A. J.-This department does not give Mrs. W. W. Wotherspoon, wife of out any information concerning the domestic affairs of the members of the who guessed correctly, and tickets to various stock companies now playing in Washington.

Times Inquiry Department: There will be an exhibit of the work of the students at the Arts and Crafts School at the school, 1711 New York avenue, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, May 28, 29, and 30, from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Mrs. Mary M. Engs, of Newport, is the guest of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Bradford, U. S. N.

CYRIL.

The State Department will, upon application, furnish you with all the information necessary on this subject.

Times Inquiry Department: Times inquiry Department:

Will you give me some information concerning the civil war pension bill? It is in the hands of a conference committee, or should be by this time. A great many old soldiers, their relatives and friends, would like to know of the present status of the bill, and probabilities of its future. Respectfully, The conference report on the Sher-

wood pension bill has been agreed to in

the Senate and House, and President!

Times Inquiry Department: Kindly advise me as to the dates of the Republican convention at Chicago, and the Democratic convention at Baltimore. M. D. The Republican convention will be held in Chicago, June 15. The Democratic convention will be held in Bal-

timore, June 25. Times Inquiry Department: Will you please give me a good plain recipe for clam chowder, also for catfish chowder. M Mc.

Peal and out into dice-shaped pieces

lam Chowder:

twelve medium-sized potatoes, wash thoroughly, place in a stewpan large enough to hold three quarts, add two quarts of cold water; chop one mediumsized onion and two stalks of celery very fine; place the pan over a brisk fire, season with a right pinch of salt of parsley cut fine; let all cook until the potatoes are nearly done-eighteen minutes will be sufficient. Cut a slice of fresh pork one-third of an inch thick into pieces one-third of an inch square, Cut twenty-four medium-sized clams into small pieces, place in a pan with their juice and boil for two minutes; remove the scum and add one saltspoon full of black pepper and one tablespoon full of Worcestership and the manager informs this department. or four medium-sized fresh tomatoes. tures into a large soup tureen which

clams. B. M. Hall, P. L. O.-There is no value on the coins about which you inquired.

Mrs. Moore-If you will send a stamped self-addressed envelope to this department the information you wish will be forwarded to you.

Times Inquiry Department; Will you please tell me what a girl of six-teen would need for a wardrobe on a two month's vacation in the summer while stay-ing in a Southern city? PUZZLED.

She would need two or three light one-piece dresses, some middy blouses, and linen skirts, a linen suit, a thin evening dress, and one tailor made suit, preferably of blue serge.

Inquirer is informed that the following are the dates of the Grand Circuit races for the year: Norfolk, April June 1-18; Oklahoma, June 6-July 4; Hamilton, June 15-22; Fort Erie, June 29-July 6; Windsor, July 13-20; Fort Eric, July 27-August 3; Butte, August 1 to September 4; Hamilton, August 10 to 17; Windsor, August 26 to September 2; Salt Lake, August 26 to October 26; Anaconda, September 6 to 21; Montreal, September 7 to 14; Ottawa, September 19 to 26; Toronto, September 28-October 5; Lagoon, October 7.

Times Inquiry Department:
Kindly suggest some form of entertainment in which to indulge at a B. H. S. club picnic at Great Falls for boys and girls between the ages of sixteen and eighteen.
Thanking you in advance for such advice, I am, yours truly.

F. E. M. It seems as though no diversion other

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hoys and girls might take part, includ-ing copenhagen, hi-spy, and bell, and even the humble but enjoyable game of bean-bag. An outing usually suggests

Times Inquiry Department:
Will you please tell me how to make ginger ale at home, also publish a recipe for dandelion blossom wine. Thanking you, I am,
MRS. R. G. O.

There is a preparation which may be bought at almost any drug store, which is used for making ginger ale at home. The only labor required is to add water and bottle, until ready for use.

Dandelion wine is made as follows: Steep the dandelion flowers in boiling water for five minutes, then strain off the liquid, pressing the flowers down hard. Sweeten to taste, then add brandy to the proportion of a pint to every four gallons of liquid. Place in uncorked bottles and keep in a cool place until fermentation ceases. Draw off and rebottle.

Times Inquiry Department:
You published a silhouette puzzle of the Poli Players in your paper last week. I have not found the correct solution up to the present time. Will you kindly answer in your Inquiry Department and tell me if the names of those who guessed correctly have been published.

The names of those who guessed correctly have The names of those who correctly guessed the names were not published, but letters were sent the first fifteen "Madame X" were also sent them.

Times Inquiry Department:
Please publish in your inquiry column a recipe for whitewash.

MRS. F. A recipe for Southern whitewash which has been highly recommended is as follows:

of water until soft and broken. Strain and rub the rice through a colander back into the water, and while it is still boiling stir into it a peck of best lime, with a pound of salt. Boil up once and apply while hot. This makes a glossy and durable covering for wood

Times Inquiry Department:
Is there an Iowa society in the District of Columbia? If so, where does it meet, and who are the officers. Thanking you for answers to the above questions, I am, yours H. G. G. At one time there was a large and flourishing society of Iowa people in the Taft has signed the bill making it a | District, but former members inform this department that, though the society still exists, its meetings have been

> Times Inquiry Department:
> Will you please publish a recipe for elderberry blossom wine. Very truly, A. F. H.
> Steep the elderberry blossom flowers in boiling water for five minutes, then strain off the liquid, pressing the flowers hard. Sweeten to taste and add brandy in the proportion of a pint to every four gallons of liquid. Put in uncorked bottles and place in a cool spot until fermentation ceases. Then

discontinued.

draw off and rebottle. Times Inquiry Department:

Will you please inform me through your paper the correct form for a gentleman to introduce his wife to a woman acquaintance, his wife to a gentleman acquaintance, and his wife to a prominent gentleman, such as a Cabinet officer, or a diplomat? Very truly,

B. A. L.

teaspoonful of butter, and two sprigs introductions is to present the gentleman to the lady, the younger to the older, the inferior to the superior. Whatever the form the name should be spoken distinctly. Persons of celebrity should have introductions made to

fimes Inquiry Department:

Aisia, ten years old, and Paul, six years, for which their young and beautiful mother fought so spiritedly, is sonally acquainted, may possibly be able to give you some employment of this kind. The work consists of the addressing of speeches and other matter, and sending them out to the Congressing of sonatiments. If you know a secretary, or any one connected in an official capacity with a Congressman, they are the ones to whom you should send to send the send work. apply for such work.

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FOR LITTLE FOLK JUST BEFORE BEDTIME The Sandman's Stories

THE DISOBEDIENT MICE.

wish I could go out in the sun-shine and play," said Frisky.

She stood very still for a minute, and then she walked softly away and took her kittens to the other side of 'So do I,' Rolly.

"Mother told us not to go outside this hole," said Tiny, their little brother, "and I am going to mind, for I just saw Tabbie Grey and her kittens walking past."

"Do not move until I call you," sne whispered, and then she went back to the hole and sat far enough away so that the mice could not see her unless they came out. They waited a while, and then not hearing anything. Frisky said: "She has gone; we fooled her filled the requirement.

He did the act with the simple effectiveness of the true artist.

The back yard was seven feet below. 'O, you are afraid," said Rolly. 'Come on, Frisky, let us have some fun;

about midnight!"

The door closed. There was a laugh in the corridor of such ringing and nasal character that Banks felt in his very bones that not one of the trio would ever spend another cent in that hotel.

He sighed. He felt a desire to use profanity. And he also realized that the attendant was altogether gone!

He looked around rather amazedly. He celled allowd and hoter the cell.

There were two large, hearty, greasy of ourselves, but we will show her we apple pie with real gusto.

To being lynched anyway.

It was quite a long step and it jarred Banks considerably. Nevertheless, he meal in a barn across the road."

"Better come with us," said Frisky, as they went out, "you will never have any evidently into the kitchen.

There were two large, hearty, greasy of ourselves, but we will show her we blond attendant, consuming a section of apple pie with real gusto.

Tiny, however, decided to remain at

apple pic with real gusto.

Banks grabbed the attendant by the free hand and cried aloud:

"Bill, if there's a side or a back entrance to this place, get me out of it within five seconds and I'll give you five hundred dollars!"

He himself could not altogether up. "I'll go some other time." he told them. "You better look out for Tabbie Grey and her kittens; she will e sure to see you." But Frisky and Rolly only laughed at this warning. "We can run faster than they can," they said, "and, besides that, we are smaller than even the littlest kitten, and they cannot follow us into a hole."

Frisky watched them from his hole, and he saw Tabble Grey turn and look

and he saw Tabbie Grey turn and look after them, but she was too far away

They have run away. I am sure, and it of her children. I hope you will let will serve them right if we catch them. They have them right if we catch them. They have run away. I am sure, and it of her children. Those silly little mice thought they were able to the wall at the house. The windows in that office, lately dim in the light of the table lamp, were brilliantly lighted now. More than that, they were open, and men were at them—men with slik hats and derby hats and soft hats. And they were climbing through and dropping into the yard in search of him. And they seemed to flow out through the windows as steadily as water coming through the sluice of a mill-wheel.

Banks drew the robe about him comfortably and grinned.

"Home," he said.

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In Automobile Wreck

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Let us run out and get at that bag of meal, for it must be getting near the time for mother to return."

Neither of these silly little mice thought of looking out of the hole, they only thought of the meal, so Frisky ran out first, and no sooner had he put his head out than Tabbie Grey tapped him with her paw and called her kittens, who soon put an end to poor Frisky. Whereupon he effaced himself from the scene, and Banks rubbed his eyes and looked around dazedly.

It was decidedly a dark street, but he thought he knew where he was. He leaned against the brick wall which ranged along the end of the yard and rubbed his eyes again. And just then his automobile swerved agound the corner.

He climbed into it with feverish haste

THE SAW US AND SHE IS

COMING THIS WAY

him in hand, and that was the end of him.

"Now, my dears," said Tabbie Grey to her children, "I hope you will let this teach you a lesson. Those silly little mice thought they were able to take care of themselves and they did not mind their mother and stay at home, as she told them to do, but as soon, as he was away they are noutly

Mending Kid Gloves.

W. C. Wimsatt, twenty-two years old, of 215 Eighth street southwest; H. A. Burns, twenty-six, of 223 Eighth Sixteenth and U streets northwest, speom-the-seat device went tling gun, and his words on of This Story Will not seriously, injured in an automobile accident in okck Creek Park early today.

Just before reaching the Bowlder bridge something went wrong with the steering gear, causing the machine to leave the road and crash into a tree. All three were thrown out. They were taken to the Emergency Hospital in another automobile, and, after having their injuries dressed, went to their homes. gregation worships was dedicated, and

said his brother said his brother took her kittens to the other side of the barn. "Do not move until I call you," she He Gets Children, But Must dry thynic and a half can of tomatoes of the Barnum and Bailey curcus of the Barnum and Pay Wife \$30,000 a Year.

Irish Witnesses.

him- the autumn of 1909; it was reported that 8-27; Pimlico, April 27-May 15; Electric Mrs. Mellon was weary of "smoky, newly-rich Pittsburgh."

Mrs. Mellon, it was said, longed to be back in her pleasant English home. When they separated this husband allowed her the annual income on \$350,000.

Mrs. Mellon was Nora Mary McMullen, daughter of a famous brewer.

When they was married twelve years.

May 18-25; Latonia, May 30; Montreal, When they were married twelve years.

June 1-18; Oklahoma, June 6-July 4;

PITTSBURGH, May 25.-The divorce of Worcestershire sauce, break in two

John P. Hunter, appointed master to

Other Lutheran ministers will participate in this service. The chorus choir will sing "Gloria from the Twelfth Mass," "Fear Ye Not. O Israel," and "Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem." To Talk on Birds.